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For: Surfactant Containing Insulation Binder

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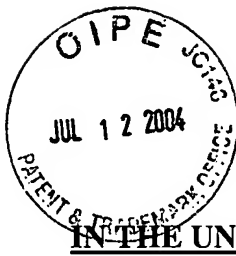
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**UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.47(a) & 1.181**

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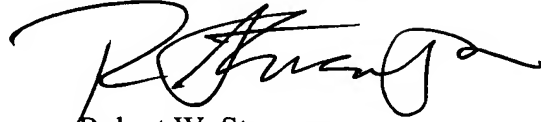
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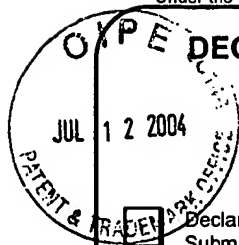
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Each inventor's residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to their name.

I believe the inventor(s) named below to be the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

**SURFACTANT-CONTAINING INSULATION BINDER**

(Title of the Invention)

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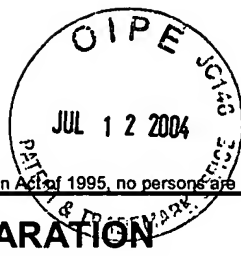
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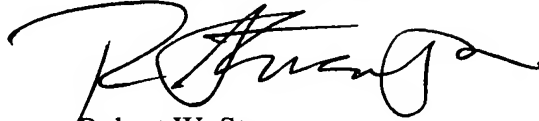
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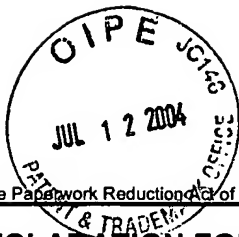
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